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Lieutenant General Joseph F. Carroll Director, Defense Intelligence Agency Washington, D. C.

Dear Jos:

Since July 1961 the Department of Defense has furnished four senior intelligence officers for duty with the Coordination Staff of the Director of Central Intelligence. Three of these officers are detailed from the Defense Intelligence Agency and one from the National Security Agency.

The Coordination Staff under General has been assisting the DCI in his community-wide responsibilities for coordination of the United States foreign intelligence activities. Such assistance to Mr. McCone is now the responsibility of Mr. John Bross, Deputy to the DCI for National Intelligence Programs Evaluation.

In recent months, at my request, General and his Staff have been studying the subject of support to the DCI by the intelligence community in national emergency and wartime situations. This study is now scheduled to be completed and submitted to me by 1 March 1964.

In view of this, the following three officers will be available to you for reassignment on or after 1 March 1964:

If assignments are not

readily available we can keep them profitably occupied for a few more weeks.

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Your officers have been diligent in their support of the coordination responsibilities of the Director of Central Intelligence and have contributed in a practical and superior manner to the progress of the intelligence community as a whole. Their Effectiveness Reports set forth their individual accomplishments.

The willingness of the Department of Defense to make their services available is sincerely appreciated, and I wish them every success in their future assignments.

Faithfully yours,

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Marshall S. Carter Lieutenant General, USA Deputy Director

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